

A RESOLUTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER C. T. MARTIN

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**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT AN OFFER BY MERCEDES BENZ TO DONATE TWENTY FIVE MOUNTAIN BICYCLES, VALUED AT \$50,000 TO THE ATLANTA POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR USE BY THE POLICE BICYCLE PATROL FOR COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

**WHEREAS**, the Atlanta Police Department has established bicycle patrols throughout the City of Atlanta as a deterrent to crime in both residential and commercial areas of the City, and

**WHEREAS**, Mercedes Benz, a corporation well known for quality products and services, has generously offered to donate twenty-five bicycles, valued at \$50,000, to the Atlanta Police Department to allow the Department to expand and enhance its bicycle patrol activities for community oriented policing, and

**WHEREAS**, the Atlanta Police Department has a number of patrol officers already trained to effectively make use of bicycles as part of their patrol and law enforcement duties

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA**

**Section 1:** that the Mayor is authorized to accept twenty five bicycles valued at \$50,000 on behalf of the Atlanta Police Department to enhance community oriented policing activities.

**Section 2:** that the Atlanta Police Department will inventory these donated bicycles and account for them in accordance with City policy.